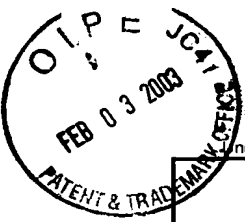


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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. IMI-044DV3CN		
Application No. 09/662784		Filing Date September 15, 2000		Examiner S. Turner	Art Unit 1647
Applicant(s): Malcolm L. Geffer, et al.					
Invention: A HUMAN T CELL REACTIVE FELINE PROTEIN (TPFP) ISOLATED FROM HOUSE DUST AND USES THEREFOR					
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
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Independent Claims		- 3 =		x	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					1,040.00
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				Dated: <u>January 29, 2003</u>	
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		First Named Inventor	Malcolm L. Geffer
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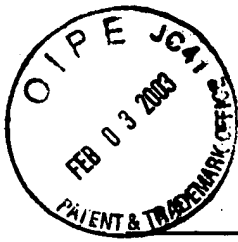
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed from the Patent and Trademark Office on July 29, 2002. A request for an appropriate extension of time and fee are being filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

On page 1, please delete all information under the "Related Applications" section and insert the following paragraph: